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Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed August 28, 2006, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on November 28, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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